

INKSTER, MICHIGAN 48141
MAY 3RD., 1968

MR. BRANEN:

WHEN WE RECEIVED YOUR LETTER, WE WERE WORRIED SICK. WE HAD'NT HAD A WORD, THAT HE HAD BEEN TRANSFERRED. THEY ALWAYS LET HIM MAKE A CALL, AND LET US KNOW EVERY TIME, WHERE HE WILL BE.

THEN I RECEIVED HIS LETTER, OF WHICH I AM ENCLOSING A COPY, AND A COPY OF THE ENVELOPE IT CAME IN, SO YOU MAY SEE THE POST-MARK. YOUR LETTER IS FOR THE SAME DATE.

THEN ON WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, AT 2.45 P.M. OUR TIME, MAY 1ST., CHARLES CALLED LONG-DISTANCE, COLLECT, FROM OUTAGAMIE COUNTY JAIL, APPLETON, WISCONSIN, AND TALKED TO MY DAUGHTER. SHE READ HIM YOUR LETTER, AND HE SAID, IT IS A LIE; I'M HERE, AND HAVE NOT BEEN TRANSFERRED. IF THERE IS ANYWAY YOU CAN VERIFY THE CALL, WITH THE LONG-DISTANCE OPERATOR AT APPLETON, YOU CAN DOUBLE-CHECK.

SO ON THURSDAY AFTERNOON, BETWEEN 5 & 5.30 P.M. OUR TIME, MY HUSBAND PLACED A PERSON-TO-PERSON CALL TO YOU, TO LET YOU KNOW, WE HAD RECEIVED HIS CALL, AND HE WAS STILL AT APPLETON. YOUR SECRETARY SAID YOU WERE OUT, BUT WOULD RETURN THE CALL.

WE FIGURE THAT THEY ARE GIVING KATHERINE GALLAGHER THE GOOD OLD RUN-AROUND. IS'NT THERE SOME WAY, SHE CAN GET HIS STORY, SOMEHOW? YOU KNOW ABOUT THESE THINGS, AND WE DON'T, SO THOUGHT SURE, IF YOU KNEW HE WAS STILL THERE, SHE WOULD MAKE THE ATTEMPT AGAIN. PLEASE.

CHARLES SAID HE THOUGHT HE WOULD BE THERE FOR ABOUT 3 WEEKS, UNTIL AFTER THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY HAD FILED HIS BRIEFS, THEN HE THOUGHT HE WOULD THEN GO BACK TO MILWAUKEE.

HE HAS NEVER BEEN SENTENCED.

IF YOU CAN, PLEASE GO AHEAD WITH THE ATTEMPT TO GET HIS STORY, AS SOON AS YOU CAN.

MAY GOD GO WITH YOU, SINCERELY,

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TEL. 535-1331 DAYS- MY HUSBAND
DO NOT GIVE THE NO'S. TO
ANYONE ELSE, PLEASE.